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July 31, 2006

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: Hosston Zone, Reservoir A
NORTHEAST CUBA CHURCH FIELD
Ouachita Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E&P, L.L.C.** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters:

1. To establish rules and regulations and to create four (4) drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the Northeast Cuba Church Field, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana, said proposed units designated HOSS RA SUA, HOSS RA SUB, HOSS RA SUC and HOSS RA SUD, all as shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To provide that any future wells drilled to the Hosston Zone, Reservoir B, within or outside of the units created herein, should be located in accordance with the spacing provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
4. To designate a unit operator and unit well for the proposed HOSS RA SUA.
5. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify the reservoir by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics

of the reservoir changes and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.

6. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Zone, Reservoir B, in the Northeast Cuba Church Field, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 6,800 feet and 10,600 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Ocean Energy, Inc. (formerly TXO Production Co.) – Ewing C No. 1 Well, located in Section 11, Township 15 North, Range 4 East, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana.

Pertinent data, including well logs, may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from Joe B. Adams, 9141 Interline Ave., Ste. 3-A, Baton Rouge, LA 70809, Telephone Number (225) 929-6097.

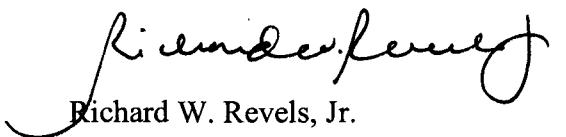
Pursuant to the Rules of Procedure, pre-application notice was given; however, no request for the conference was received. Therefore, the conference tentatively scheduled for August 10, 2006, **WILL NOT BE HELD.**

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are the following: a plat outlining the applicant's proposal and the list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being mailed. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, the plat (being the same plat attached to the pre-application notice dated July 19, 2006) and list of parties are being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Monroe District of the Office of Conservation; however, the plat and/or list of parties will be furnished to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, enclosed is our check in the amount of \$755.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation submitted on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,

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Attachments


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cc: Mr. Clarence L. Chandler, Monroe District Office of Conservation
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties

